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State of Arizona  
House of Representatives  
Forty-fifth Legislature  
Second Regular Session  
2002

# HOUSE RESOLUTION 2006

A RESOLUTION

ON THE DEATH OF THE HONORABLE FRANCIS B. PLENCNER.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 The Honorable Francis B. Plencner passed away on March 4, 2002 at the  
2 age of seventy in Tempe, Arizona.

3 Frank Plencner was born in Beloit, Wisconsin in 1931. He graduated  
4 from Florida State University with degrees in English and speech. He retired  
5 as a Lieutenant Colonel in the United States Army after ably serving his  
6 country for twenty-three years. While in the service, he served in an  
7 advisory role to United States embassies in Central and South America from  
8 1965 to 1968. He moved to Arizona in 1971 and owned and operated Universal  
9 Travel Agency for eighteen years.

10 Frank Plencner also dedicated his life to public service. He served  
11 as a Tempe city councilman from 1982 to 1994. During this tenure he served  
12 as vice-mayor and chaired the Public Works Committee. He was committed to  
13 providing opportunities to the city by increasing tourism and played a major  
14 role in overseeing revitalization of Mill Avenue and the development of the  
15 Tempe Convention and Visitors Bureau. His efforts to improve the quality of  
16 life in Tempe included helping to establish the city's recycling program and  
17 administering construction of the Tempe Public Library.

18 Frank Plencner also served as president of the East Valley Partnership  
19 and as the government affairs director of the Multi-Housing Association. He  
20 was appointed executive director of the Governor's Strategic Partnership for  
21 Economic Development for the Arizona Department of Commerce and director of  
22 the Arizona Office of Tourism. He also held a position as a professor of  
23 military science and ROTC instructor at Arizona State University.

24 He will be missed by his family, his friends and the people of the  
25 State of Arizona.

26 Therefore

27 Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Arizona:

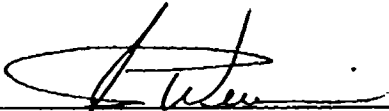
28 That the Members of the House of Representatives sincerely regret the  
29 passing of the Honorable Francis B. Plencner and extend their most sincere  
30 sympathies and condolences to his wife, Nancy Russell Plencner, his  
31 daughters, Kathy McMullen, Kerry Lowenstein, Kelly Vega, Kim Kronborg, Karol  
32 Thweatt and Kristy Munden, his step-children, Randall Russell, Rebecca  
33 Lafferty and Ryan Russell, and his other surviving relatives and friends.

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May 2, 2002

  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

Norman L. Spore  
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives

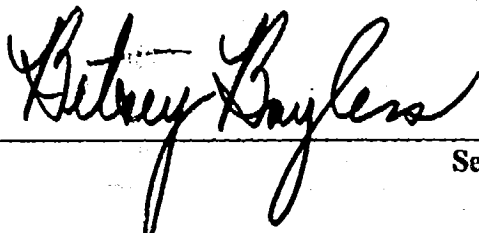
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA  
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This Resolution was received by the Secretary of State

This 2 day of May, 2002

at 1:39 o'clock P M.

  
Secretary of State